

## House Resolution No.

**Whereas**, it is with distinct pleasure that the Missouri House of Representatives halts its diverse legislative activities in order to acknowledge a milestone event in the lives of one of the Show-Me State's most illustrious couples, Clyde and Zelma Tucker of Mount Vernon; and

**Whereas**, on February 7, 1954, the handsome young Clyde Tucker proudly took the lovely hand of his beautiful bride, Zelma Pease, as the two pledged their troth during a wedding ceremony officiated by the Reverend C.E. Fleshman at First Church of the Nazarene in Peoria, Illinois; and

**Whereas**, five decades later on Saturday, January 24, 2004, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Tucker observed their Golden Wedding Anniversary with an Open House which was hosted by their children at First Baptist Church in Mount Vernon and followed by an exemplary meal at the Bamboo Garden restaurant; and

**Whereas**, the marriage of Clyde and Zelma Tucker has been richly blessed with four children, Yvonne Sutton and her husband, Butch, of Naples, Florida; Renee Eitenmiller and her husband, Bill, of Mizpah, Minnesota; Doug Tucker and his wife, Jayne, of Tremont, Illinois; and Cindy Burcham of Tremont; and

**Whereas**, Clyde and Zelma Tucker also have enjoyed the love and affection of twelve grandchildren and two great-grandchildren; and

**Whereas**, a semi-retired barber, Clyde Tucker is universally recognized in his hometown through his earlier service on the City Council and his highly successful activities related to fishing and gardening; and

**Whereas**, Zelma Tucker works in retail sales at the venerable J.C. Penney department store and enjoys reading and baking:

**Now, therefore, be it resolved** that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, join unanimously to applaud the splendid marriage enjoyed by Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Tucker and to convey to them this legislative body's heartiest congratulations upon attaining their Golden Wedding Anniversary and our best wishes for many more momentous occasions to celebrate in life; and

**Be it further resolved** that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Clyde and Zelma Tucker of Mount Vernon, Missouri.

Offered by \_\_\_\_\_  
Representative Jack Goodman  
District No. 132

I, Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, Second Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. \_\_\_\_, adopted \_\_\_\_\_, 2004.

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Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker